## AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Show 1. (currently amended) A storage organizer system comprising a rail adapted to be securely mounted to a substantially flat vertical surface, a storage unit including at least two laterally spaced-apart upright panels having front and rear portions, at least one rail engaging member mounted to the two laterally spaced-apart upright panels and extending towards the rear, said rail engaging member being adapted to engage the rail for suspending the unit from the rail, a spacer extending rearwardly from each of said upright panels at a distance from said rail engaging member for defining a gap (D) behind said storage unit once installed on said rail, and a series of vertically spaced apart holes defined in said upright panels for allowing said rail engaging member to be mounted at selected vertically spaced apart fixed locations along said at least two spaced-apart upright panels wherein said rail engaging member is removably securable at selected vertically spaced-apart fixed locations in vertically spaced-apart holes defined along said at least two spaced-apart fixed locations in vertically spaced-apart holes defined along said at least two spaced-apart upright panels.

- 2. (withdrawn)
- 3. (original) A storage organizer system as defined in claim 1, wherein said rail engaging portion has a hooked end for engagement at a selected location in said rail.
- 4. (original) A storage organizer system as defined in claim 1, wherein said rail engaging member includes a transversal member extending across said at least two laterally spaced-apart upright panels, and at least one hook mounted to said transversal member between said at least two laterally spaced-apart upright panels for engagement with said rail.

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12. (previously amended) A storage organizer system as defined in claim 1, wherein said rail includes first and second legs extending at an acute angle from each other, said first legs defining a number of holes adapted to receive fasteners for horizontally securing said rail to the vertical surface with said second leg projecting upwardly.

13. (original) A storage organizer system as defined in claim 12, wherein said rail has a J-shape, whereas said rail engaging portion has an inverted J-shape.

\ 14. (withdrawn)

15. (currently amended) A storage organizer system comprising a rail adapted to be fixed to a vertical surface, a storage organizer unit for supporting some articles, a rail engaging member mounted to said storage organizer unit and projecting rearwardly therefrom for hanging said storage organizer unit from said rail, and a spacer extending rearwardly from a lower end portion of said storage organizer unit at a distance from said rail engaging member for defining a gap (D) behind said storage organizer unit once installed on said rail, wherein a series of vertically spaced apart holes are defined in said storage organizer unit wherein said rail engaging member is removably securable at selected vertically spaced-apart fixed locations in vertically spaced-apart holes defined along said at lest two spaced-apart upright panels to provide for selective positioning of said rail engaging member relative to said storage organizer unit.

16. (currently amended) A storage organizer system comprising a rail adapted to be securely mounted to a substantially flat vertical surface, a storage unit including at least two laterally spaced-apart upright panels having front and rear portions, and at least one rail engaging member mounted to the two laterally spaced-apart upright panels and extending towards the rear, said rail engaging member being adapted to engage the rail for suspending the unit from the rail, wherein said rail engaging member includes a transversal member extending across said at least two laterally spaced-apart upright panels, and at least one hook

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mounted to said transversal member between said at least two laterally spaced-apart upright panels for engagement with said rail, and wherein a series of vertically spaced apart holes are defined in said upright panels for allowing said transversal member to be mounted at various heights in the storage anit wherein said rail engaging member is removably securable at selected vertically spaced-apart fixed locations in vertically spaced-apart holes defined along said at lest two spaced-apart upright panels.

- 17. (previously presented) A storage organizer system as defined in claim 16, wherein said transversal member is allowed to rotate about a longitudinal axis thereof relative to said at least two spaced-apart upright panels.
- 18. (previously presented) A storage organizer system as defined in claim 17, wherein said transversal member is provided in the form of a rod received at opposed ends thereof in first and second circular holes respectively provided in said at least two laterally spaced-apart panels.

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